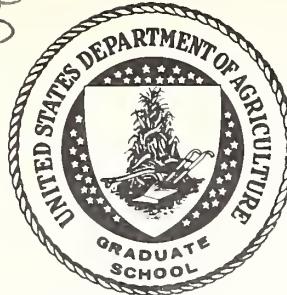


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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

October 6

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Faculty Luncheon -- to be announced.

Lecture -- "Comments on Air Pollution: Effects on Man and Animals," by Dr. Norton Nelson, Institute of Environmental Medicine, New York University. 10:30 a. m. Plant Industry Station, Beltsville, Md.

AWARDS LUNCHEON

Our September faculty luncheon featured presentation of 20-year service awards to faculty and committee members and announcement of certificates of accomplishment. Names of the recipients were carried last month in our August Newsletter -- copies of which were available at the luncheon.

In addition, new faculty members present introduced themselves and Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, Joseph M. Robertson, who moderated the luncheon, paid tribute to outgoing members of the General Administration Board. These included: Sterling B. Hendricks, who also recently retired from Government service after a lengthy and distinguished career as a pioneering scientist; Alan L. Dean, Assistant Secretary for Administration at the Department of Transportation, who will now become a member of the Graduate School Developmental Committee; and Edward P. Cliff, Chief of the Forest Service, who has now agreed to serve as chairman of our 50th Anniversary Committee.

New Board Members

Announced as new members of the General Administration Board to succeed those whose terms had expired were:

N. P. (Pat) Ralston, Associate Director for Science and Education for the U. S. Department of Agriculture;

Elizabeth D. Koontz, Director of the Women's Bureau, Department of Labor; and William A. Badger, Regional Administrator for the General Services Administration.

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NEWS NOTES

J. Kendall McClaren, formerly Director of the USDA's Foreign Agricultural Service International Trade Fairs Division, has received a new assignment as Assistant to the FAS Assistant Administrator for Export Programs to work on several new market development programs. Mr. McClaren is chairman of our Languages and Literature Committee.

James F. Kelly, a member of our Accounting Subcommittee, has accepted appointment as Vice President for Administrative Affairs at Georgetown University. He formerly was Assistant Secretary, Controller, for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

William G. Colman, a governmental affairs consultant, was recently named to the Board of Trustees of Montgomery College (Md.) and as a member of the President's Commission on School Finance. He is a member of our General Administration Board.

CURRENT SERIAL RECORDS

Faculty -- please read the following memo to your students:

TO: Faculty and Students of the Graduate School, USDA

We are planning to expand the Graduate School General Administration Board from 11 to 15 members. This additional membership will be made up of our students, teachers, and someone outside of Government. We would like YOU to make the nominations for these positions -- either of yourself or someone else. Membership of the Board is a voluntary, non-paying position with the opportunity to serve an important and dynamic adult and continuing education program.

The following are some suggested qualifications that may help you in making nominations.

1. Student or past student of a number or series of courses and/or Graduate School teacher or past teacher.
2. Real interest to serve on the Board.
3. Ability to make a contribution to the policy issues of the Graduate School.
4. Ability and willingness to attend meetings regularly (the Board meets through the lunch period four times a year).
5. Representation of a constituency that may assist the Graduate School, for example, having contact with students and faculty; being in a position to encourage people to enroll; having resources which the School might use.

Make your nominations in writing stating why you or the person you wish to nominate would, in your opinion, make a good member of the General Administration Board.

Nominations should be in my office by October 31, 1970. A review panel will refine the list of nominations received and make its recommendations to the Secretary of Agriculture for his final selection and appointment. The appointments may be for a one to five year term.



John B. Holden
Director

CERTIFICATE OF ACCOMPLISHMENT AWARDEES
PICTURED DURING SEPTEMBER FACULTY LUNCHEON



Administrative Procedures: l. to r. James H. Holland Jr., Carol Y. Evans, Arthur E. Willett



Statistics: l. to r. Bishop A. Pirkle;
Oceanography: Aaron C. Sexton, Melvin A. Luter



Public Administration: l. to r. Wm. C. S. Thompson, Billy R. Champion, Joseph Rubino, Anthony R. Loriso, Raymond S. Satterfield, Mohamed Rashad, William J. Sallee



Graphic Arts: George J. White



(left) Editorial Practices: l. to r. Dorothy G. Jackson, Rose S. Bahl, Anne G. Hodge, Dora Ordoney

Library Techniques: l. to r. Naomi J. Copeland, Theresa M. Harmon, Robert B. Wood. Natural History Field Studies: Herselle E. Milliken



(right)
Wayne V. Dexter
receiving 20-
year award from
John B. Holden



Edward P. Cliff receives Certificate of Appreciation for service on the General Administration Board from Joseph M. Robertson (r.)



(above) 20-year faculty and committee members:
l. to r. Daniel L. Leedy, Wayne D. Rasmussen,
Franklin Thackrey, Erwin L. LeClerg, Geniana R.
Edwards, David Askegaard, Wayne V. Dexter



Sterling B. Hendricks (l.) receives Certificate of
Appreciation for service on the General Adminis-
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